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# Electrochemistry

#### **Electrochemistry science is**

- 1- The science which studies transformation of chemical energy into electrical energy and vice versa.
- 2- The science which deals with the consequence of the transfer of electric charges from one place to another
- 3- The study of the relationship between chemical and electrical change. Electrochemical science has a multitude of applications, ranging from solar technology to biomedical innovations.

# **International system**

Physical Quantity	Name of Unit	Unit Symbol	Unit Expressed In terms of Base Units
Force	Newton	N= F= mass x 9.8 m.s- <sup>2</sup>	Kg.m.s <sup>-2</sup>
Energy	Joule	J= F x d	N.m or Kg .m <sup>2</sup> .s <sup>-2</sup>
Power	Watt	W= J x s <sup>-1</sup>	J.s <sup>-1</sup>
Quantity of electricity	Coulomb	С	A.s
Electromotive force	Volt	V= J/ C	J.A <sup>-1</sup> .s <sup>-1</sup> or w .A <sup>-1</sup>
Electro resistance	Ohm	Ω= V/A	V.A <sup>-1</sup> or J .C <sup>-1</sup> . A <sup>-1</sup>
Electric conductance	Siemens	S	Ω-1
Electrical capacitor	Farad	F= C/V	A. s. v <sup>-1</sup>
Current density	Current	i	A.cm <sup>-2</sup>
Current	Amper	Γ	Α

## **Electrochemical Processes**

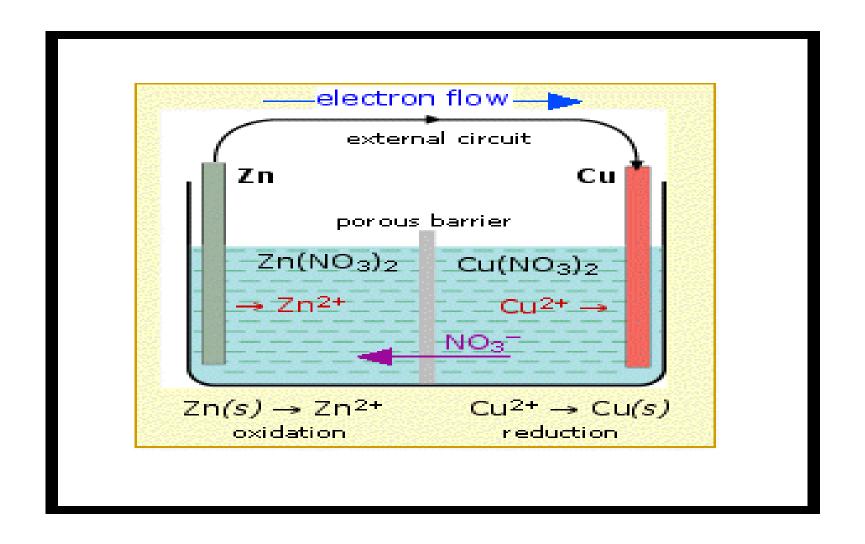
Any electrochemical reaction involves passage a current through the electrodes and solution

## **Reduction Processes**

The term refers to the element that accepts electrons, as the oxidation state of the element that gains electrons is lowered.

## **Oxidation Processes**

The opposite process is called reduction, which is the loss of electrons. It happens when an atom or compound loses one or more electrons



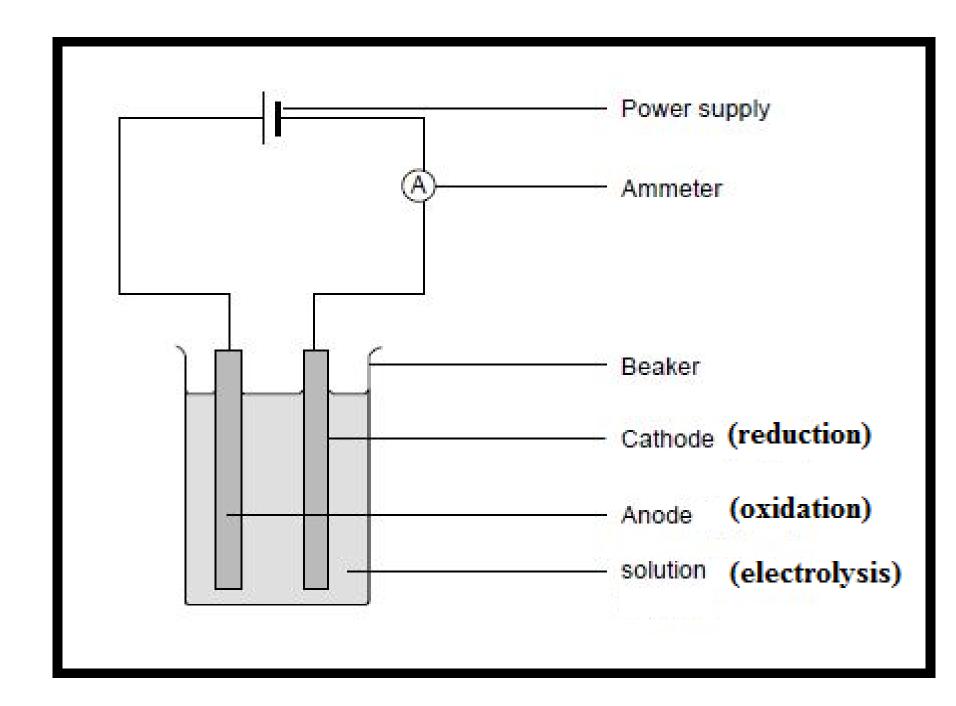
$$Cu^{+2} + 2e$$
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## **Faraday's Laws**

#### **Faraday's First Law**

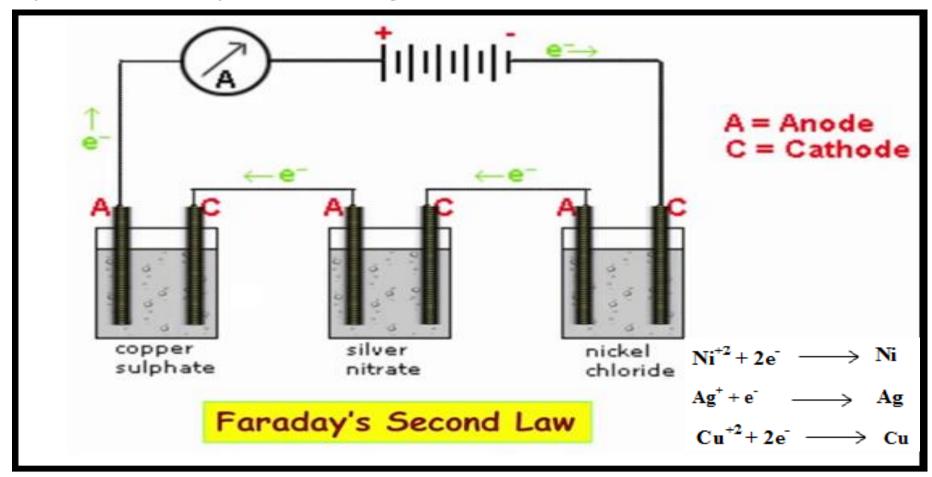
The amount of substance which reacted at the electrodes is directly proportional to the quantity of electricity which has passed through the solution.

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Q \alpha W
Q = It
W \alpha It
W = E_e It
where
                   is weight of chemical change at an
              W
                    electrode (g)
                     is the amount of electricity (C)
               Q
                    is the intensity of current (Ampere)
                     is the time (s)
                    is electrochemical equivalent
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#### **Faraday's Second Law**

When the same quantity of electricity is passed through different electrolytes, the mass of various substances which reacted or deposited at the electrodes is directly proportional to the chemical equivalent or equivalent weight of these substance.



 $W \alpha e$ 

Chemical Equivalent (e) = Atomic Weight / valence

$$e = \frac{M}{z}$$

Q/ Calculate the chemical equivalent of Cu<sup>+2</sup>, Ag<sup>+1</sup>, H<sup>+</sup>. If you know the atomics weights of the cations respectively are 63.6, 107.9, and 1.008

$$e = \frac{M}{z} = \frac{63.6 \ g/eq}{2} = 31.8 \ g/eg \ (for Cu^{+2})$$
 $e = \frac{M}{z} = \frac{107.9 \ g/eq}{1} = 107.9 \ g/eg \ (for Ag^{+1})$ 
 $e = \frac{M}{z} = \frac{1.008 \ g/eq}{1} = 1.008 \ g/eg \ (for H^+)$ 

#### Link between first and second lows of Faraday's

**a.**s

#### Q1/ How many coulombs are required for the following reduction

- 1- 1 mole of Al<sup>+3</sup> to Al
- 2- 1 mole of Cu<sup>+2</sup> to Cu

Sol/
1- 
$$w = \frac{QM}{FZ}$$

Q= 
$$\frac{W(g) \cdot F(\frac{C}{mole}) \cdot Z}{M(\frac{g}{mole})}$$
 = 1 mole x 96485 x 3 = 289455C (Al<sup>+3</sup> to Al)

Q2/ How many coulombs are required to 50gm of Al from molten  $Al_2O_3$ ? If you know the Atomic Weight of Al = 27.

sol/ w= 
$$\frac{QM}{FZ}$$
  
Q=  $\frac{W(g) \cdot F\left(\frac{C}{mole}\right) \cdot Z}{M\left(\frac{g}{mole}\right)} = \frac{50(g)x 96485\left(\frac{C}{mole}\right) x 3}{27\left(\frac{g}{mole}\right)} = 536027 \text{ C}$ 

Q3/Ni(NO<sub>3</sub>)<sub>2</sub> solution is electrolyzed between pt electrodes using a current of 5.0 Ampere for 30 minutes. What is the Weight of Ni will be produced at the cathode? If you know the atomic Weight of Ni =58.69 g/mole.

Sol/ 
$$w = \frac{QM}{FZ}$$

 $Q = It = 5 A \times 30 \times 60 s = 9000C$ 

$$W = \frac{9000C X 58.69 \left(\frac{g}{mole}\right)}{96485 X 2} = 2.737 g$$

Q4/ The current passage was 15A through silver nitrate solution for 10 min that required to precipitate 9.9gm silver. What is the current efficiency? If you know the atomic Weight of Ag= 108 g/mole.

> Sol/ 
$$W = \frac{QM}{FZ} = \frac{ItM}{FZ}$$
  
>  $W = \frac{15 A X 10 x 60S X 108 \left(\frac{g}{mole}\right)}{96485 \left(\frac{c}{mole}\right) X 1} = 10.07 g \text{ (theoretical value)}$ 

Efficiency= 
$$\frac{9.9 \ g}{10.07 \ a}$$
 x100= 98.4%

# Homework

Q5/ The current passage was 0.1A through CuSO4 solution for 10 min at 25C°, if used pt electrode as cathode. If you know the atomic Weight of Cu= 63.5 g/mole.

- Calculate copper weight at cathode?
- Calculate Oxygen volume is released at anode at 740 mmHg?



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